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James Beale.
War Literature
719 Sansom Street

Philadelphia June 7. 1887.

To the Hon Director of the Mint.
Washington. D. C.

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The above communication was endorsed as follows:

No. Director Mint.

39085. Rec. Jun 8 1887

Philadelphia

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Treasury Department,

Bureau of the Mint,

June 14, 1887.

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Jas P Kimball,
Director of the Mint.

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

June 14th, 1887.

Hon Daniel M. Fox
Superintendent
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And Has Known only as a Coiner until he was removed March 21st 1886.

Very Respectfully
Your Obt Servant
W. A. Steel
Coiner

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Mint of the United States at Philadelphia, Pa.,

COINER'S DEPARTMENT,

June 17th, 1887.

W. S. Feel

Coiner.

In reference to Mr Beale's position in Mint, states that he did not serve as Asst. Coiner, but as counter in Coiners department. With enclosed letter from Mr Beale.

Recd June 18. 1887.

No. of Enclosures, 1.

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